

July Job Postings 2020-2021 Comparison



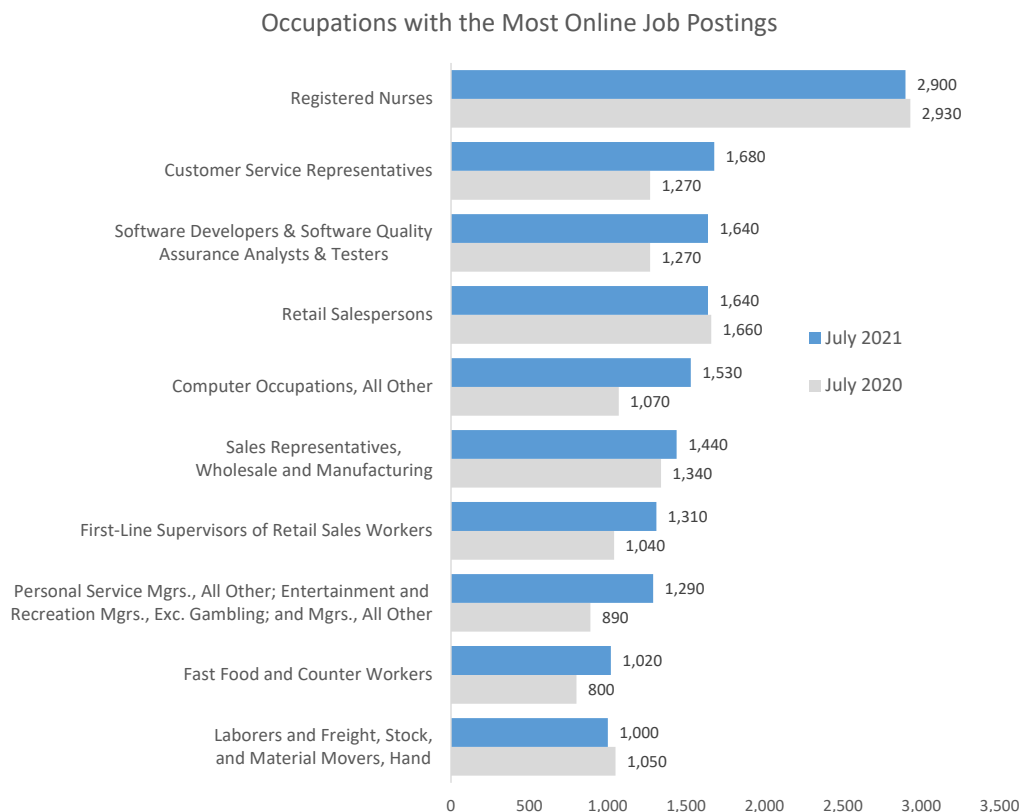
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Job Demand

An analysis of job postings shows an increase of 20 percent from July 2020 to July 2021. In July 2021, there were 62,340 online job postings, compared to 52,110 in July 2020. Job postings have increased significantly when compared to July 2020, however a comparison to last month's (June 2021) numbers shows a modest increase of 7.6 percent. The state and nation were still feeling the effects of COVID-19 closures in July 2020, and job postings were low. Unemployment rates decreased from last year and last month. The July 2021 unemployment rate was 4.2 percent, compared to 4.3 percent in June 2021, and 6.8 percent in July 2020.

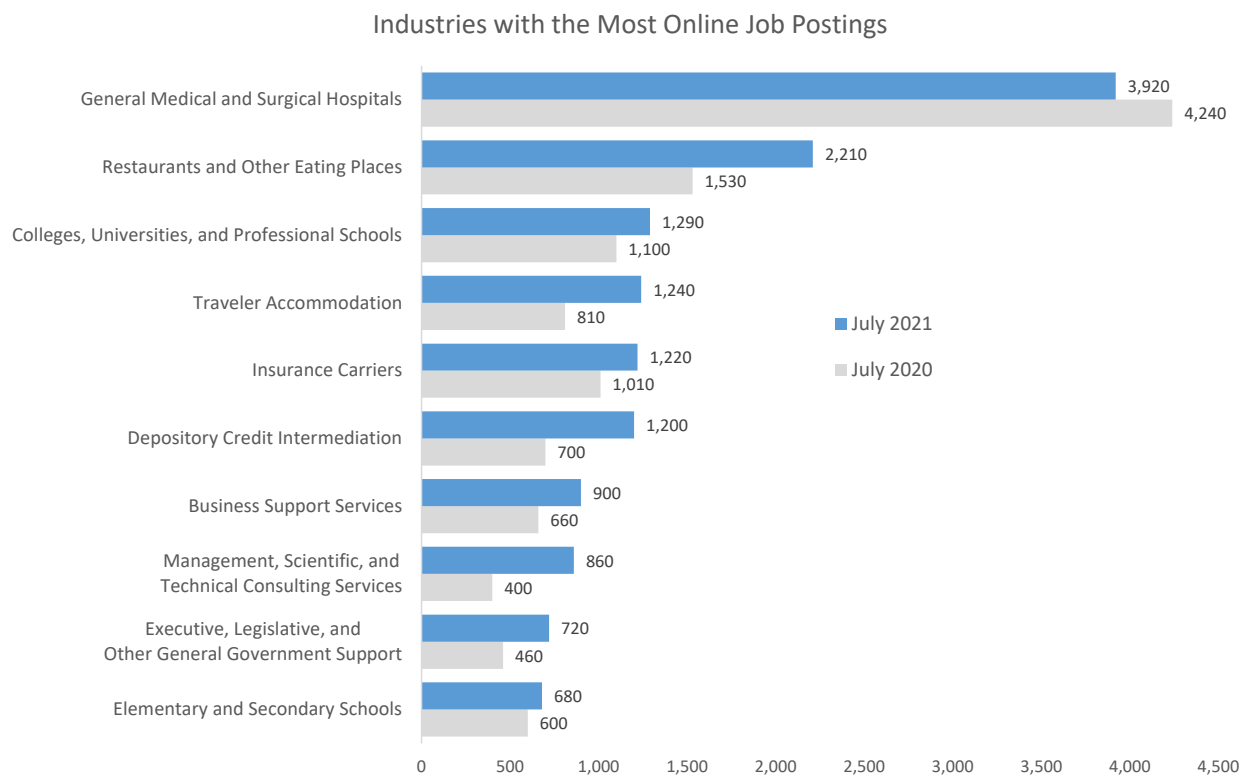
Top Occupations

The chart below shows the top 10 occupations with the most job postings in July 2021, compared to the number of job postings in July 2020. Most occupations showed increases in postings from July 2020, with the largest percentage increase in *Personal Service Managers, All Other; Entertainment and Recreation Managers, Except Gambling; and Managers, All Other* (31%), closely followed by *Computer Occupations, All Other* (30%).



Top Industries

The chart below shows the industries with the most job postings in July 2021 compared to July 2020. Every industry but *Hospitals* showed an increase in postings from July 2020, with the largest percentage increase in *Management, Scientific, & Technical Consulting Services* (54%), followed by *Depository Credit Intermediation* (42%).



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